

REMARKS

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated March 18, 2006 in conjunction with the attached Appeal Brief. Claim 18 has been amended to correct a minor text problem, and claims 1-3, 5-12, 14-21, and 23-26 are currently pending. No new matter has been added. Specifically, claim 18 recites a computer-readable medium having encoded thereon computer-executable instructions adapted for executing a method. A portion of the claim body has been amended to make the claim body method steps consistent with the preamble reciting a "method." Appellants submit that the amendment to claim 18 mere corrects a technical error in the claim language and does not change the substantive content and scope of the claimed invention so as to necessitate additional prior art searching. Appellants therefore request this amendment be entered to remove any potential confusion that might otherwise arise in reading and interpreting claim 18.

Respectfully submitted,



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